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Agricultural Marketing Service

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WHOLE EGGS, INVITATION NO. 01, ANNOUNCEMENT PY-257

The U.S. Department of Agriculture invites offers to sell whole eggs as indicated below and per the Announcement for use in school lunch and other domestic food nutrition assistance programs. Offers are due by 12 noon, Central Time, Monday, May 13. Acceptances will be announced by midnight, Friday, May 17. Deliveries are to be made from June 16 to June 30.

This invitation for offers to sell whole eggs is in response to the April 16 announcement by the Department to purchase egg products. This purchase will provide a nutritious product for participants in domestic feeding programs and also provide some assistance for producers who have faced difficult economic times. Product must be produced under the Commodity Specification for Whole Eggs dated May 2000, as amended.

As stated in the September 21 Notice to the Trade, all offers must be submitted electronically through the Domestic Electronic Bid Entry System (DEBES) website at https://pcsd.usda.gov:3077/mdbc1000.exe?. Offers submitted on and after October 1, 2001, by any means other than DEBES will be considered nonresponsive.

Bidders are cautioned to bid only quantities they can reasonably expect to produce and deliver in accordance with the contract. Shipping instructions will indicate quantity to be delivered to each point.

Inquiries about Announcement PY-257, Appendix-1, the Commodity Specification for Whole Eggs dated May 2000, as amended, or this Invitation should be directed to the Contracting Officer, USDA/AMS/Poultry Programs, Commodity Procurement Branch STOP 0260,

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1400 Independence Ave., SW, Washington, D.C. 20250, telephone (202) 720-7693. An electronic version of this Invitation can be obtained through the world wide web via the Commodity Procurement Home Page at http://www.ams.usda.gov/cp.

Purchases of the commodities listed below will be made on a delivered basis, subject to Announcement PY-257, to the listed locations. Destination quantities are estimates and are subject to adjustment based on offerings, changes in recipient need, market conditions, and program operations. Delivery by mechanically refrigerated trucks or railcars is optional to the contractor, except for those destination(s) which specify delivery by truck only or rail only.

Five-pound cartons (082065) - Frozen homogenized whole eggs with a color stabilizer packaged 5 pounds (2.27 kg) net weight in a pitcher-pour type, polyethylene-coated paperboard carton, and packed six 5-pound (2.27 kg) cartons per fiberboard shipping container with 30 pounds (13.61 kg) net weight. A purchase unit will consist of 1,334 shipping containers totaling 40,020 pounds (18,153 kg).

TRANS

QUANTITY

ANNOUNCEMENT : PY257 INVITATION : 001

ITEM DESTINATION

COMM GROUP : 08 EGGS, FROZEN

COMM TYPE : 20 EGGS, WHOLE, FROZEN

PACK SIZE : 65 6/5 LB CTN

NO	CITY	ST	RESTR	(LBS)		
DELIVERY PERIOD 06/16/02 - 06/30/02						
001	WINTERPORT	ME	TRUCK ONLY	40,020		
002	DELAWARE CITY	DE	TRUCK ONLY	40,020		
003	JACKSONVILE/FAS	FL	FAS	40,020		
004	VINELAND	NJ		40,020		
005	HUNTSVILLE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	19,080		
	THEODORE	AL	TRUCK ONLY	20,940		
006	JACKSONVILLE	FL	TRUCK ONLY	10,020		
	LAKELAND	FL	TRUCK ONLY	30,000		
007	MIAMI	FL	TRUCK ONLY	20,010		
	ORLANDO	FL	TRUCK ONLY	20,010		
800	NORTH MIAMI	FL	TRUCK ONLY	40,020		
009	CREEDMOOR	NC	TRUCK ONLY	26,010		
	SALISBURY	NC	TRUCK ONLY	14,010		

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DELIVERY PERIOD 06/16/02 - 06/30/02							
010 011	COLUMBIA CHICAGO	SC IL	TRUCK ONLY	•			
012	INDIANAPOLIS	IN	TRUCK ONLY	•			
013	DETROIT	MI	TRUCK ONLY				
014	CLEVELAND	ОН	TRUCK ONLY				
015	MILWAUKEE	WI	TRUCK ONLY	40,020			
016	LITTLE ROCK	AR	TRUCK ONLY	40,020			
017	OKLAHOMA CITY	OK	TRUCK ONLY	24,000			
	TULSA	OK	TRUCK ONLY	16,020			
018	AUSTIN	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,020			
019	DALLAS	TX	TRUCK ONLY	40,020			
020	DES MOINES	IA	TRUCK ONLY	40,020			
021	INDEPENDENCE	MO	TRUCK ONLY	32,100			
	ST LOUIS	MO	TRUCK ONLY	7,920			
022	CHULA VISTA	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,020			
023	LOS ANGELES	CA	TRUCK ONLY	80,040			
024	SACRAMENTO	CA	TRUCK ONLY	80,040			
025	SAN JOSE	CA	TRUCK ONLY	40,020			
TOTA	L QUANTITY FOR	COMMO	DITY TYPE	1,080,540			
TOTA	L QUANTITY FOR	INVIT	ATION	1,080,540			

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